Sottosanti Carl Form 4 June 04, 2018

## FORM 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Sottosanti Carl	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
	PENN NATIONAL GAMING INC [PENN]	(Check all applicable)		
(Last) (First) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify		
825 BERKSHIRE BLVD, SUITE 200	05/31/2018	below) below) EVP,Gen Counsel & Secretary		
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
WYOMISSING, PA 19610	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting		
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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	le I - Non-D	<b>Derivative</b>	Securi	ities Acqu	iired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit on(A) or Dia (Instr. 3, 4)	sposed	of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock (1)	05/31/2018		M	16,653	A	\$ 6.96	52,489	D	
Common Stock (1)	05/31/2018		S	16,653	D	\$ 34.09 (2)	35,836	D	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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## Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Non Qualified Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 6.96	05/31/2018		M	16,653	07/08/2012	07/08/2018	Common Stock	16,653

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Sottosanti Carl

825 BERKSHIRE BLVD, SUITE 200 EVP,Gen Counsel & Secretary

WYOMISSING, PA 19610

#### **Signatures**

/s/ Christopher Rogers as attorney-in-fact for Carl Sottosanti 06/04/2018

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) The options subject to the transaction reported on this Form 4 would have expired on July 8, 2018.

The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$34.00 to \$34.23. The reporting person undertakes to provide to Penn National Gaming, Inc., any security holder of Penn National Gaming, Inc., or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares purchased at each separate price within the ranges set forth in the footnote to this Form 4.

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Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

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Exhibit	Description						
99.1	Press release dated May 19, 2014 entitled, Agreement To Expand In Asia	The Cheesecake Factory Continues To Execute On Its Global Growth Strategy With					